



I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

On June 19, 2006

TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP

By: 
Gloria Sikora

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE –
EXAMINING GROUP 2822**

PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: 021653-002700US

Client Ref. No.: I-02-158

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Chia-Chu Kuo

Application No.: 10/773,517

Filed: February 6, 2004

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
RAPID COOLDOWN OF ANNEALED
WAFER

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 6555

Examiner: Michael Manh Trinh

Technology Center/Art Unit: 2822

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
GROUP 2822**

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed 03/09/2006 on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.